



Request for City Council Committee Action from the Department of Regulatory Services

Date: April 18, 2012

To: Council Member Don Samuels, Chair – Public Safety, Civil Rights & Health Committee

Referral to: Council Member Betsy Hodges, Chair – Ways & Means/Budget Committee

Subject: Accepting Donations to Minneapolis Animal Care & Control

Recommendation: Accept in-kind donations of pet food, treats, supplies & toys

Previous Directives: None

Department Information

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Approved by:

Gregory K. Stubbs, AICP, Director of Regulatory Services

Noah Schuchman, Interim Director of Licensing & Environmental Services

Presenters in Committee: Jeanette Wiedemeier Bower

Financial Impact

- No financial impact
- Action is within the Business Plan

Community Impact

- City Goals

Supporting Information

Minneapolis Animal Care & Control (MACC) received in-kind donations of dog and cat food and treats, pet apparel, and animal care items from the following individuals and groups: Mary Kenefisk, Mandi Mogart, Mary Wick, Volunteers at Pet Project Rescue (PPR), Trish Moreland, Toni Yeamans, Nancy Johnson, and Cassy Jerrett

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By Samuels

Approving donations of dog and cat food and treats

WHEREAS, the City of Minneapolis is generally authorized to accept donations of real and personal property pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 465.03 for the benefit of its citizens, and is specifically authorized to accept gifts and bequests for the benefit of recreational services pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 471.17; and

WHEREAS, the following persons and entities have offered to contribute the gifts set forth below to the city:

Mary Kenefisk 4 (4 lb) bags Innova baked dog treats

Mandi Mogart 1 bag (7 lb) Purina Kitten Chow, 1 bag (3.5 lb) Purina One Beyond dog food, 1 bag (12 oz) kitten food, 8 cans (5.5 oz) EVO cat food, 2 cans (13 oz) Wellness dog food, 1 bag Pedigree (4.4 lb) dog food, 5 pouches (5.3 oz) dog food, 1 can (13.2 oz) Gravy Train dog food

Mary Wick 4 cat toys, 2 dog coats

Volunteers at Pet Project Rescue (PPR)

2 (8 lb) Kaytee Forti-Food Guinea Pigs; 1 (5lb) Rabbit Food; 1 (2 lb) Kaytee Western Timothy Hay, 2 Milk Bones (26 oz) dog treats; and 1 (7 lb) box Milk Bones flavor snaps for dogs

Trish Moreland 2 packs of dog chews

Toni Yeamans 6 boxes of assorted dog treats and chews

Nancy Johnson Dog-E Logic toy

Cassy Jerrett Dog toys

WHEREAS, no goods or services were provided in exchange for said donation;

WHEREAS, all such donations have been contributed to assist the city in providing Animal Care and meeting our goals of Responsible Pet Ownership, as allowed by law; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that it is appropriate to accept the donations offered.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF MINNEAPOLIS MINNESOTA, AS FOLLOWS:

The donations described above are accepted and shall be used for the animals cared for at Minneapolis Animal Care and Control.